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The Daily Courant.

Saturday, February 23. 1717.

London, February 23.

Yesterday arrived a Mail from Holland.

From the Amst. Gazette, dated March 2.

Lemberg, February 3.

THE new Bassa, whom the Sultan has sent to Chocim, was obliged to travel by round-about Ways, and with a great Guard, by reason that the Imperialists make great Excursions, and have lately taken a Party of Janizaries and Spahi's near Jassy. The late Bassa of Chocim has been beheaded for coming away before his Successor was come to relieve him. The Grand Seignior has sent a Reinforcement of Troops to that Fortress. It is reported, that the Russian Troops will quit this Kingdom next Month.

Posnania, Feb. 13. The Duke of Weissenfels, the Generals Keiseviter, Bauditz, Bose, Wilstorf, and all the Saxon Regiments departed two Days ago to return to Saxony.

Warsaw, Feb. 18. The King having been inform'd that divers Lords, who are displeas'd at the breaking the Companies, had resolv'd to lodge and maintain them on their Estates: His Majesty wrote the 13th to the Great General Siniawski, to order him to arrest all such Companies who are in March or are found stroling upon the Roads; as also those who are already upon the Estates of those Malecontent Lords, in order to put the late Treaty in Execution, and prevent new Disorders. The said General has thereupon sent Orders accordingly, to all the Officers of the Army, to execute those his Majesty's Orders. They are at work in the Chancery, in expediting Circular Letters, for holding a Diet in all the Palatinates, the 15th of March next. The Bishop of Cujavia General Flemming, and the Palatine of Mazovia, are to depart suddenly, to go to the Congress of Brunswick, in Quality of the King's Plenipotentiaries; and his Majesty will forthwith take a Tour to Dantzick.

From the Hague Courant, dated Mar' 3.

Great Poland, Feb. 18 A Russ[illegible] Lieutenant Colonel pass'd thro' [illegible] two Days ago, going for H[illegible] Warsaw. Treaty of Pa[illegible] his Nation This Office [illegible] Days depart which are [illegible] those who [illegible] move from [illegible] Batallions [illegible] the Lieutenant [illegible]thal left this City, [illegible]ne former marching to [illegible] to Elbing; and then Major [illegible] his former Post with 300 Men.

[illegible]. 26. Letters from Copenhagen [illegible] Deserters who had found Means to [illegible]ather from Schonen, relate, that the King [illegible]weden is still in that Province, and employ'd [illegible] reviewing and exercising his Troops. On the 22d, at six in the Evening, they heard at Copenhagen from the Swedish Coast, a triple Salvo of Cannon, from which they concluded that the King was arriv'd at Carelscroon. The same Day the Old Swedish Count Steenbock, who was Prisoner at Copenhagen, departed this Life; and had, a little before his Death, sent a Memorial to the King of Denmark, to thank him for his Civilities to him. Fifteen Officers of the Regiment of Oldenburg, who were quarter'd in several Provinces of Denmark, were brought Prisoners to Copenhagen, for Extortions they had been guilty of. The Court are still very busy in examining the Letters taken in the Swedish Packet-Boat.

From the Amsterdam Courant, dated March 2.

Vienna, Feb. 17. In regard it was found that during the last Campaign, the Army suffer'd thro' the want of a sufficient Number of Transport Ships, some hundreds are now bought for the Service, and the Emperor has expressly commanded the Finance-Chamber, above all things, to furnish ready Money for that Purpose. Prince Eugene will, the next Week, present to the Emperor for his Majesty's Approbation, his Scheme for the next Campaign: And a Council of War will be afterwards held twice a Week to consider of it, wherein every General will have full Liberty to give his Opinion. The Imperial Vice-Chancellor comes again daily to Council; and he is restor'd to the Emperor's Favour. We hear from Hungary, that a Turkish Party has fallen upon one of ours, consisting of 120 Men of the Palatine Regiment, and defeated them. And here are Reports, that the Turks, with 30000 Men, came over the Save, not far from Peterwaradin, and burnt a Magazine of Hay, which was guarded only by some Ratzians, who were mostly cut to Pieces. But the Enemies durst attempt no farther, but retir'd immediately. 'Tis written from Cronstadt, Jan. 27, that Capt. Ernau, with 150 Dragoons, and the National Militia, having made an Excursion towards Jassy, fell upon 4 Companies of the Enemy, and kill'd 30 Men, and afterwards pass'd forward to Jassy, where he defeated 300 of the Enemy, and set free a great many Christian Prisoners that were there detained; but that afterwards, by the Alarms that were made, the Country, to the Number of 6000 Men, came in upon the Imperialists, who, however defended themselves so valiantly, that they repulsed the Enemy, without great Loss, but as they retreated, they fell into a Morass, wherein many Horses were lost. Some of the Party come daily to Cronstadt, but they know not what is become of their Captain.

Hague, Feb. 28. We understand that the Marquis de Chateauneuf sent away a Courier last Friday, to carry to Paris the exchang'd Ratifications of the late concluded Treaty of Alliance. We have Advice, that their Czarish Majesties will come hither this Week, and Preparations are making for their Reception.

Hague, March 1. The Count de Kniphausen, Minister of the King of Prussia, went this Forenoon to Amsterdam, from whence Prince Kurakin is expected here to-morrow.

Extract of a Letter from an English Merchant.

Paris, Feb. 24. 'This Court seems to turn 'its Mind pretty much towards the Encouragement of Commerce; they have taken off one 'sixth of the Duties on Importation, of all Sorts 'of Commodities; and to give Encouragement 'to their Trade of the Western Islands, have 'granted, that Sugars, and other Goods imported 'thence, and declar'd for Transit, may lye in the 'Custom-house Ware-houses, and pay no Manner 'of Duty when transported. The publick Debts, 'which lay so heavy, are, by the several Reductions so much diminish'd, that the Interest to be 'annually paid, amounts now to but about 48 'Millions of Livres. These Debts consists of two 'Sorts only; that is to say, Rents on the Town-House of Paris, and State-Bills; the former 'whereof, bears a Discount of 60 per Cent. and 'and the latter 52 per Cent. And the Spirits of 'the Subjects are so broke, by what has been already done in the Finances, that some are of 'Opinion, that upon an Emergency, it would be 'no difficult Matter to annihilate the Debts.

London, February 23.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 101 5 8ths, 101 3 qrs, to 101 one half. Bank 136 3 qrs. 137, to 136 3 quarters. India 165 1 qr. 166 1 qr. to 165 3 quarters. African 18 one half.

This Day is Published,

Letters which passed between Count Gyllenborg, the Baron Gortz, Sparre, and others; relating to the Design of raising a Rebellion in His Majesty's Dominions, to be Supported by a Force from Sweden. Published by Authority. Printed by S. Buckley in Amen-Corner. Price 1s. 6d.

Whereas the Deputy-Lieutenants of the County of Middlesex, have been inform'd, that some Officers of the County Regiment of Foot, or their Agents, do take extravagant Sums of Money from Persons under a Pretence to find or contribute to a Foot-Soldier, for excusing them from finding or contributing to the same. The said Deputy-Lieutenants do hereby give Notice, that if any such Persons will appear at their Court in the Piazza in Covent-Garden, on Wednesday the 13th Day of March next, in the Forenoon, or at any Time afterwards, and make out such Oppressions, they shall be reliev'd and encourag'd.

On Friday the first of March next being St. David's day, will be a Sermon preached by the Right Reverend Father in God, the Bishop of Bangor, at St. James's Church Westminster, before the Stewards of the most honourable Society of Ancient Britons, established in Honour to her Royal Highness her Birth-day, and the Principality of Wales; and from thence they proceed to Drapers Hall in Throgmorton-street to Dinner. Note, That the Sermon by order of the Stewards, is to be Translated into Welch, for the Benefit of the Natives of Wales. Note also, that Tickets are delivered at half a Guinea each, at St. James's and William's Coffee-house, and White's Chocolate-house by St. James's house, Tom's and Button's Coffee-house Covent-Garden, Tom's and the Grecian's in Devereux-Court, Garraway's, Tom's and Bridges Coffee-houses in Cornhill. Note also, that the Stewards for the ensuing Year are fixed.

Blue-Coat-School-House, near Tothil-Fields, Westminster, Feb. 18, 1716-17.

The Thanks of the Treasurer and Trustees of this Charitable Institution, are hereby most heartily given to that bountiful Benefactor, who loving to do Good, much more than to hear of the Good he does, convey'd to the Treasurer on the 12th Instant, in an Anonymous Letter, a Bank Note for 50 l. desiring it might be employ'd to the Use and Benefit of the poor Children of these Schools: And for the greater Satisfaction of the Pious Donor, he is hereby openly assured, that upon a Report of this Benefaction, so secretly bestow'd, a Resolution has been taken, to add four poor Children to the Number already educated in these Schools, to be cloath'd against Whitsuntide, the usual Time of Clothing.

At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.
By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Saturday, being the 23d of February, will be presented the last revis'd Comedy call'd the Rehearsal, with all the Decorations proper to the Play. And on Monday next will be presented a new Tragedy (never acted before) call'd the Sultaness.

By His Majesty's Command.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, to Morrow, being Saturday, the 23d of February, will be presented an Opera (perform'd but once this Season) call'd, Amadis. The parts of Amadis by Signor Cavaliere Nicolino call'd, Amadis. Dardanus by Signor Antonio Bernacchi, Oriana by Mrs. Robaldi,